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Classified By: A/DCM Robert Burgess, Reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

[1](#)1. (C) On February 11, A/DCM delivered Ref A points to Ministry of Foreign Affairs Western Countries Director Kanat Tursunkulov. Tursunkulov said he would pass on our points to officials in the Ministry, and would inform us of any substantive reaction or change in position. In January, Foreign Minister Karabayev said he expected that concern over the precedent of independence for Kosovo would determine Kyrgyzstan's position (Ref B).
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